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PRICE TWO CENTS

ATTACK ON AN ENGLISH TOWN

GERMANS FAIL IN ATTACK

After Four Days of the Bitterest and
Bloodiest Fighting Since the Battle
of Verdun

CALL MEETING TO THRASH OUT PAVING WORK

The mayor has called a special meeting of the city council on Monday evening at 8 o'clock to meet the board of public works and thrash out the matter of paving Middle and other streets. It is understood that the public service corporations using Middle street object to doing necessary work on that highway at this time and that the board of public works has this as a reason for requesting the meeting. How long more the public will be obliged to suffer from this thing and that thing which has developed every now and then from the political arena is a question. There are indications on the surface that the meeting on Monday will be a lengthy one and somebody will say something.

These are stirring times and the high cost of living continues to soar.

Read the Want Ads.

Spring Cleaning



NEW DRAPERIES

These two suggestions are always closely associated, and it is really wonderful the added charm new draperies will give to any home. The item of cost is optional as our lines include the dainty little muslins and scrims for chamber or cottage rooms and beautiful cluny and renaissance designs that will grace the costly home. We are pleased to show you and offer suggestions at all times.

Pretty Muslin Draperies.....75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50

Scrim Curtains in white and ecru.....89c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.98

Marquisette Draperies.....\$1.50, \$2.00, \$2.98

Renaissance and Cluny Curtains.....\$2.75 to \$8.50

We show today New Lines of Ladies' Coats in all the newest shades, priced.....\$15.00 to \$35.00

Geo. B. French Co.

Destroyers Are Driven Off By Fire From
English Land Batteries—Only Ten Killed
and Three Wounded, According to
Official Statement

RAILROADS AGREE ON NEW TARIFF RATE

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, April 27.—The railroads of the country and the shipping heads today agreed upon a tariff increase of 100 per cent on demurrage over that which existed last December, when an emergency rate was effected.

The new rates which go into effect May 1 are \$2 on each car for the first day, and after its arrival at its destination four days \$5 per day.

NORWEGIAN BARQUE HAS NARROW ESCAPE

(By Associated Press.)

Copenhagen, April 27.—The Norwegian barque *Tschetsch*, which arrived safely at a Norwegian port owes her safety to the fact that warning shot from a German submarine smashed both her masts. As the submarine did not have any room to take the crew aboard, he spared the vessel and allowed her to proceed.

PREMIER TALKS ON MILITARY AND IRELAND

(By Associated Press.)

London, April 27.—Important declarations were made today by Premier Lloyd George on the military and Irish questions.

The Premier said that they must convince Ireland from being a surly, dangerous neighbor to a cheerful, joyful country. Settlement of the Irish question is essential to a speedy termination of the war.

FURTHER REPULSE OF TURKS

(By Associated Press.)

London, April 27.—A further repulse of the Turks in Mesopotamia is contained in the communication from General Maud.

The 13th Turkish regiment is entrenched in the foot hills between the Tigris and the Dula, where the British are in close proximity.

SHOE WORKERS PLEDGE THEIR COOPERATION

(By Associated Press.)

Lynn, Mass., April 27.—The joint council of the United Shoe Workers today notified the owners of the twenty-six factories who are still operating that every effort would be made to maintain the present wage schedule as well as increase the output.



Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Friday unsettled, possibly preceded by local showers; Saturday generally fair; not much change in temperature; moderate variable winds.

Sun Rises.....4:46
Sun Sets.....6:39
Length of Day.....13:53
High Tide.....11:11 a.m., 3:49 p.m.
Moon Sets.....12:12 a.m.
Light Automobile Lamps at.....7:03 p.m.

The indicted coal operators deny they engaged in a conspiracy; probably raised prices merely to make consumers think coal was worth having.—Pittsburgh Gazette Times.

U. S. WILL AID FRANCE AND ITALY

Both Countries Will Receive Substantial
Loans at an Early Date

SMALL RIOT IN PETROGRAD

(By Associated Press.)

Petrograd, April 27.—A small sized riot took place when the audience that was listening to the Socialist Vienini, as a protest to his exhortation for a cessation of the war and attack on the new government. A score of his followers were injured, but he escaped unharmed.

The first offering will be for \$2,000,000.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, April 27.—The United States will make loans to France and Italy according to the indications. The amount of loans intended for France is said to be \$100,000,000,000, while that to Italy is considerably less. Most of the money will be derived from the issue of Treasury certificates.

Secretary McAdoo will announce a bond issue within a few days.

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CARD OF THANKS

PLACING COTS IN Y. M. C. A. HALL

In order to accommodate the overflow at the Army and Navy Home, cots are being placed in the Y. M. C. A. hall. When the men cannot be accommodated at the former place they will be sent to the Y. M. C. A.

We wish to express our sincere thanks for the beautiful floral tributes received during our recent bereavement.

MRS. ELMER FLETCHER,
MRS. HATTIE FLETCHER and
FAMILY.

HOSIERY

Silk Plated Hose—Colors pink, blue, champagne, navy, Copenhagen, bronze, Harvard brown, lavender, green, black, also white; silk where they show, lisle where the wear comes.....45c pair

"Cadet" Hose for Men, Women and Children—
Women's Cadet Hose, cotton, silk lisle, silk plated and pure silk.....25c to \$1.25 pair

Men's Cadet Hose (every pair guaranteed) in black, tan, grey and navy.....29c up

Children's Cadet Hose, reinforced with linen at knee, heel and toe, black, tan or white, all sizes.....29c up

L. E. STAPLES, Market St.

D. H. McINTOSH

Complete House Furnisher

COR. FLEET & CONGRESS STS.

Upholstery, Repair Work and Refinishing of
Antique and High Grade Furniture—Also
Interior Decorating.



We have secured the services of the following well known artists: Upholstery work, Mr. Joseph J. Murphy, who has had 25 years' experience with some of the best concerns in New England, including Sheppard-Norwell Co., Kilborn Whitman Co. Cabinet work, Eli Lushanskey, well known in this city for good work in this line; there is none better; he learned his trade in the old country, and for a number of years was employed at Davenports, Boston. Refinishing and decorating, Mr. V. A. Woods, well known in this city, and in a class by himself for refinishing antiques, and bringing out all the old and original lines; none better for interior decorating also. Estimates given free on any kind of work. Remember the place.

D. H. McINTOSH'S

Invoke Spirit of State Heroes

Sayings of Webster, Pierce and Hale Placed in Capitol Grounds.

Concord, April 26.—To assist in the state recruiting campaign in the rear of the recruiting tent in the state house yard, have been placed standards bearing well known sayings of Daniel Webster, Franklin Pierce, General John Stark and John P. Hale with arrows pointing to the statues of the author which stand in the yard.

It was generally felt that these men whose love of country was so pronounced should be brought into the campaign for recruiting to instill patriotism into the men of the present generation, but all were at sea as to how it could be accomplished.

The ingenuity of a public spirited citizen, however, solved the problem and with the likenesses of the great men standing in the state house yard and the printed sayings directed toward them, these patriots of earlier days are brought into the field of activities, speaking their thoughts to all who pass.

The sayings painted on the standards are as follows:

"Tell you sir, the Union will be preserved. Its stars and stripes shall still float in the valley and o'er the mountain tops. True hearts shall rally around it."—John P. Hale.

"No man can suffer too much and no man can fall too soon if he suffers it for the full defense of the liberties and constitution of his country."—Daniel Webster.

"If you ever mean to establish the independence of the United States, you must place dependence upon firearms and courage."

"Light the American flag flaps over yonder hill or Molly Stark sneaks a widow."—John Stark.

"Our flag has waved through three foreign wars, with the union up, cheering the hearts of brave men on sea and land, wherever its folds have unrolled. In the smoke of battle."—Franklin Pierce.

KITTERY

Kittery, April 27.—York Rebekah Lodge observed the anniversary of Odd Fellowship on Thursday night by having an entertainment in place of the usual degree work. There was a large number of members in attendance. Mrs. Blanche V. Collier of Manchester was present as the reader of the evening and proved to be a delightful entertainer, giving both dramatic and humorous readings. There were piano solos by Mrs. Harold Chick and selection by the trio, Mrs. Charles Philbrick, pianist, Mrs. Chas. Randolph and Miss Eva Lambert, violinists. The program in full is given below:

Plane Solo, Mrs. Chick.
"The Lion and the Mouse," Mrs. Collier.

Selection, trio.
(a) "The Gol' the Mumpa," (b) "The Washerwoman," Mrs. Collier.

Selection, trio.
"Stories," Mrs. Collier.

Plane solo, Mrs. Chick.
Selection, trio.

Following the program harlequin ice cream and fancy cookies were served. The members of the present degree staff, together with those who in former years have served on the staff, were seated on the floor, as the observance had been arranged as "Degree Staff Night," and the committees were composed of other lodge members. The affair was in general charge of Mrs. Mabel Gerry.

The flag raising to have been held last evening under the auspices of St. Apollonia Tribe of Red Men, was

Men Never Hesitate

about advising their friends to come to us for their tailoring, they know the dependability of the materials, and the treatment they get here.

Our Alyear Mabell Clothes, made from Australian wool, are fast going out of the market. You had better "get yours" now.

Good Suits
from \$25 up.

WOOD, The Tailor

Maker of Men's Clothings

postponed until next week, owing to the rain.

Mrs. Leo Irish and little daughter Jean of Providence, R. I., arrived on Thursday for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Farwell of Walker street.

Eugene Blaney of Rogers Road is improving from an illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Able, who have been visiting their son, James Able, and family, of Rogers road, returned to their home in Sullivan, Me., on Thursday.

Mrs. Fred W. Dorr and Mrs. J. Fred Dorr of Kittery Point visited relatives in Kittery on Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Lutts of Government street is ill, and under the care of a trained nurse.

Mrs. Frank Donnell of Central street went to Haverhill, Mass., today for a brief visit.

Charles A. Gerry was a visitor at his home here on Thursday for a short time, while en route from Providence, Mass., to Bar Harbor, Me., on government work.

The condition of Master Roy Titus, who was seriously injured on Wednesday last, was reported to be very favorable this morning, and it is thought that he will recover.

William Chisolm has been passing a few days in Everett, Mass.

J. Everett Nicholson is passing the week end with his parents in Lynn, Mass.

Eugene Hayes of Whipple road has been the recent guest of relatives in New York City.

Mrs. William White has returned to her home in Connecticut after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Rossette of Dame street.

Mrs. Samuel Cousins and Miss Helen Ellis have returned to their home in Sanford after passing a few days in town as guests of Mrs. Helen A. Johnson of Love lane.

Canton Hayes will hold a regular meeting tonight at Odd Fellows Hall.

Miss Davis Sprague of Government street is passing a few days with friends in Lynn, Mass.

Mrs. Patrick Rossette is passing a few days in Boston.

Mrs. Samuel Wendell of Woodlawn avenue, who has been ill the past week, is improving.

Miss Ethel Moore is ill at her home at Kittery Depot.

Mrs. Fred Pryor of Melrose, Mass., has been passing a few days in town with relatives.

Harry H. Cook of North Kittery was in Dover on business on Thursday.

Mrs. Jennie Hayes of Whipple road has returned from New York, where she was called by the illness of her sister.

Look in Sugrue's east window.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Philbrick and son Jessie of the interview, have been called to Boston by the death of Mrs. Philbrick's mother.

Mrs. Ruby Littlefield of Rogers road has returned from a visit to her sister in South Boston.

All who are interested in the welfare of our community should attend the public meeting of the Grange tonight. A very interesting program has been prepared as was announced in this column last evening.

Miss Doris May Sprague was tendered a miscellaneous shower on Thursday evening at the home of Miss V. May Moody, by a number of her friends. Miss Sprague and her fiance, John Everett Nicholson, were invited to pass a social evening with Miss Moody, and later her friends came in a body, taking her completely by surprise. It being also the anniversary of her birth, the affair was carried out in a double celebration. The time was happily passed with games and music on both the piano and violin, and refreshments of ice cream and assorted cake were served. Miss Sprague, whose marriage to Mr. Nicholson occurs in the near future, revealed many pretty and useful presents in the shower. On departure the friends wished the couple much happiness and prosperity in future life.

To the People of Kittery, Meadowview, that beautiful piece of land on the north side of Government street, between Love lane and Overhead bridge, has been cut up into building lots, and will be sold at once. This land is well drained, convenient to the Portsmouth or Dover street cars, and ten minutes from the Navy Yard. As there is a limited number of these lots, do not lose this grand opportunity to get a choice lot in one of the finest parts of the town. First come first served. First buyers have first choice. The prices are low, and terms easy. Do not hesitate, but pick your lot, make a small payment, have the deed made out in your name and when the lot is all paid, make arrangements with a bank to assist you to build your own home. For further particulars address J. P. Sugrue, Kittery, Me.

North Kittery—First Methodist Episcopal church, Sunday, April 29: The Rev. Willmot P. Lord, chaplain of Hospitals in Portland, will preach in the morning upon "Standing in the Gap," and in the evening there will be a patriotic service, subject, "God Calling the Nation."

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TAX PLANS FOR WAR REVENUES

Single Men Earning \$1,000
May Pay; Tax Autos and
Railroad Tickets.

Washington, April 27.—A tentative bill for raising war revenues during the coming year probably will be reported to the ways and means committee not later than Monday by the sub-committee drafting the measure. The list of suggestions submitted by Secretary McAdoo is expected to be followed closely, although it is said to be unlikely that it will contain provisions for retroactive income and excess profits taxes, consumption taxes or tariff charges.

Present indications are that the bill will carry items totalling only about \$1,500,000.

There has been a great deal of argument over whether the income tax exemption shall be lowered to \$1,000 for single and \$1,500 or \$2,000 for married persons, from the present figures \$3,00 and \$4,00. Most members of the sub-committee are understood to be willing to lower the exemption for single persons to \$1,000, if the full committee deems it advisable, but they are at loggerheads on the figure for married persons.

Some maintain that married persons should be allowed \$1,000 greater exemption than single, while others are holding out for only \$500. The excess profits taxes presents quite as great a problem. Whether it shall be that tax on all profits or a continuation of the present excess profit plan has not been decided. It was said tonight however, that there was a strong likelihood of the latter plan prevailing.

Plans for taxing automobiles would provide for a 5 per cent tax on the factory cost. At this rate, it is estimated \$75,000,000 could be raised during the coming year.

A tax on railroad and Pullman car tickets, to be paid by the purchaser, appears to be assured.

One great problem with which the sub-committee now is struggling is that of providing more taxes which can be placed on wealth and not passed on to the consumer. Some committee men think the solution lies in income and excess profits plans now under consideration.

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MONTHLY LOAN NEEDS OF ALLIES ANNOUNCED

France, Great Britain, Russia, and Italy May Receive Stipulated Sum Each Month and Money Will be Spent Here

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 26.—From a preliminary report to the Treasury Department Secretary McAdoo has based his plans for the issuance of the first bond issue under the \$7,000,000,000 war bill and has presented it to the President. The United States will be called upon to furnish \$400,000,000, and possibly \$500,000,000 a month to the allies for the purpose of enabling them to continue the war on Germany.

The estimated needs of the Entente Allies as drawn up by the treasury department, gained from the conferences held by treasury officers and the representatives of the war commissions,

show that Great Britain will need from \$200,000,000,000 to \$260,000,000 a month; France \$100,000,000 to \$125,000,000 a month; Russia so far under-estimated but likely to be as great as \$100,000,000, to be spent in this country for supplies other than munitions, provided American manufacturers can meet her requirements; and Italy \$50,000,000 a month.

Of this great sum to be placed in monthly loans to the allies of the United States practically all will be spent in this country. The money will be expended for foodstuffs, munitions, manufactured goods, steel, railroad supplies and other materials.

NAVAL RESERVE ENTERTAINED BY MEN'S BIBLE CLASS

By invitation of the Men's Class of the Middle Street Baptist church nearly one hundred young men, members of the Naval Reserve from the Training Camp at the Portsmouth Navy Yard, were entertained at the church chapel on State street Thursday evening.

The program included the singing of patriotic hymns, addresses, and vocal and instrumental music, the latter furnished by the Y. M. C. A. orchestra. In addition to the enlisted men of the Reserve several of the officers attended and invitations were also extended to Captain Howard, Commandant of the Yard, Captain Hill and Lieutenant Commander Peck. Owing to their duties at the yard neither of these officers were able to attend.

The Men's Class is the first organization to entertain the men of the Reserve since their coming to the city and the hosts did everything possible to give their guests a pleasant time.

Following the presentation of the entertainment program an informal musical program and general good time ensued, the guests joining with their hosts in a get-together evening of good fellowship.

The Rev. William P. Stanley, pastor of the church, extended the word of selection by the orchestra.

LOCAL COMMITTEES COOPERATING WITH STATE SAFETY COMMITTEE

Concord, April 26.—Any doubt that New Hampshire is ready to respond to any demand made upon her in the war situation was dispelled yesterday afternoon by the large and enthusiastic gathering of local committees on public safety with the state committee on public safety in the state house. Every report by members of the sub-committees showing what has been done thus far was roundly applauded and practically everybody present came forward to give assurance of their hearty co-operation in any undertaking. Chairman John B. Jameson's committee may institute.

The principal speech was made by L. A. Clinton of the federal Department of Agriculture at Washington who talked on food production and conservation, the conference being

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HIGH LIFE

Portsmouth, N. H., Friday, April 27, 1917.

Fair Play for Both Sides.

Mrs. Maud Ballington Booth of the Salvation Army in a recent address on her work for prisoners pleaded for the abolition of the term, "ex-convict," to the greatest possible extent, on the ground that the facing of this reproach constitutes the greatest difficulty in the reinstatement of the prisoner's self-respect and re-establishment in the world. Mrs. Booth feels that this handicap should be removed so far as possible, to the end that a man who has served a prison term may have a fair chance for a new start in life.

With the spirit of Mrs. Booth's plea there will be general sympathy. No reasonable and right-minded person would throw any bitterness of the past in a man's face for the purpose of keeping him down, and yet it is only fair to say that there are two sides to this question of concealing the fact that a man has been a criminal. While it is true that such a man should have the right and the privilege of working his way up in the world to the greatest possible extent, it is also true that the public has some right to protection against elements which may not be so thoroughly reformed as the reformers imagine. It is quite probable that Mrs. Booth would not like to take into her employment a man or woman who had been behind prison bars without her knowledge. She might be willing to give such a person a chance, but the chances are that she would feel easier if she knew who and what she was dealing with. If this is not true of Mrs. Booth it is true of the vast majority of those who employ men and women.

In recent years there has been a great deal in the way of so-called reform in the management of prisons and prisoners, and much of this work has been good in its results, yet there are those who feel that it is possible to carry some features of the work too far. They feel that imprisonment should not fail entirely to constitute punishment and to be recognized as such by persons who have had their chance in life and failed to improve it.

An ex-convict should not be hounded, but encouraged in all reasonable ways to make the best of the remainder of his life, but the truth is there are so many lapses from apparent reform that it would be hardly proper to foist these men upon unsuspecting people as utterly trustworthy. A clear understanding of the facts in this case will in most instances be better for all concerned, and this can be had without needlessly pointing the finger of scorn or unnecessarily reminding one that he is an "ex-convict."

There is talk of having prices regulated by the government during the war. Not all are convinced that this is the proper thing, but if it is to be done why should not the same authority have something to say about wages? The anthracite coal miners are now demanding an increase which, if granted, will, it is said, result in an increase of 50 cents a ton in the retail price of coal. If the government is to put its hand on the matter of prices anywhere it should begin in the coal fields.

The New England Milk Producers' Association, which has completed arrangements for the sale of the product of the members, is now planning for co-operative buying of grain, fertilizers, farm machinery, etc. The grange in its early days was supposed to serve its members in this way, but it seems that the milk producers see an opening for action as a body. If the movement can be successfully conducted it should prove of large benefit to them.

Automobile accidents are occurring with a frequency which indicates that reckless driving is still far too common. According to the reports in the papers most of the accidents that have happened this spring might easily have been avoided if the drivers had not been in so much of a hurry. The list of killed and injured is alarmingly large for thus early in the season.

One writer in a communication to a newspaper advocates the abolition of all holidays until the close of the war. Perhaps it would be well to abolish, or greatly reduce at least, speaking and writing. A great deal of what may properly be called "slop" is being turned loose just now.

With all the other troubles infantile paralysis has made its appearance again in New York city, the starting point of the epidemic of last year. It is to be hoped the medical authorities will be able to restrict the disease to a greater extent than was possible a year ago.

Camps for the training of officers are to be opened early in May. The work cannot be too vigorously pushed, and everything in the way of fuss and feathers should be mercilessly cut out.

A few more April showers would help the crop of May flowers.

Editorial Comment

The Man With the Hoe

(From the Dover Democrat)
"Bowed with the weight of centuries he stands,

And leans upon his hoe," wrote Eliot in "Maple Leaf" in his famous poem. It was a moving picture that he drew of the bowed laborer.

"The emptiness of ages in his face.

And on its back the burden of the world."

But things have changed. The "Man with the Hoe" is no longer a cowed serf. Today he is the most respected of occupations. He is the aristocrat of industry. The world depends on him, more than ever before, and the world frankly admits its obligation.

Our "Man with the Hoe" today stands upright in physical strength and moral self-respect. There is no "emptiness" in his face, but the intelligence that goes with political freedom and sensible farming. On his back, sure in a more real sense than ever. But it is a noble burden, proudly and patriotically borne. The farmer is conscious of his duty to feed the world, and is striving to do his part as the soldier in battle does his.

We need a new picture of "The Man with the Hoe," and a new poem to celebrate it.

The Flag in France

(From the Newburyport News)
That there is a very widespread desire that at least one brigade of American soldiers be sent to France becomes more evident with every day.

This is not because the general public assumes to have thorough knowledge of military problems, nor because it would attempt to dictate to the military men who are in control of our policy. Most of us freely admit that these men know far more on such matters than we do and that what they say concerning the disposition of the large army this country is to raise goes.

But the plan is favored as an expression of sympathy to France, and because of the thrill it would give both to the men who are now fighting across the water and to our own people. Thrills are not warfare of course, but what has a great moral effect upon soldiers and nations may prove to have a very decisive effect upon the outcome of a war. France and England have already been stirred favorably by the entry into the war of the United States. How much more might not happen if the Stars and Stripes were actually on the battlefields of France.

Such a force led by a man of the character of Colonel Roosevelt, a man who has always made an appeal to Europe as a typical American, would do this nation a service which can hardly be calculated. The number of French troops which fought here in the Revolution was not very large, but they certainly did an invaluable service. The small army suggested, as a forerunner of what is to come, if we were continuous, would do this country a great service in France where men had come to wonder if the United States, in its rush for wealth, had lost all of its old ideals.

If Colonel Roosevelt can raise a force of men who have been thoroughly or partially trained and can lead them in person, the United States would be well served by such a force across the water. Sentimental considerations may be laughed at by some, but they have large importance in the present situation as in many others.

Ruth Stonehouse will be seen in a Blue Bird picture here soon.

The life of a movie star is just one thing after another. A week or so ago, Mary MacLaren, was trying to break her contract with her company—and was successful; and now she is going to be married.

If the praises of the critic can be relied upon, our program for Friday and Saturday is one of the best.

The feature production is the Triangle love play, "A Princess of the Dark," a Kay Bee production.

In this play we have the new Australian beauty, Enid Bennett.

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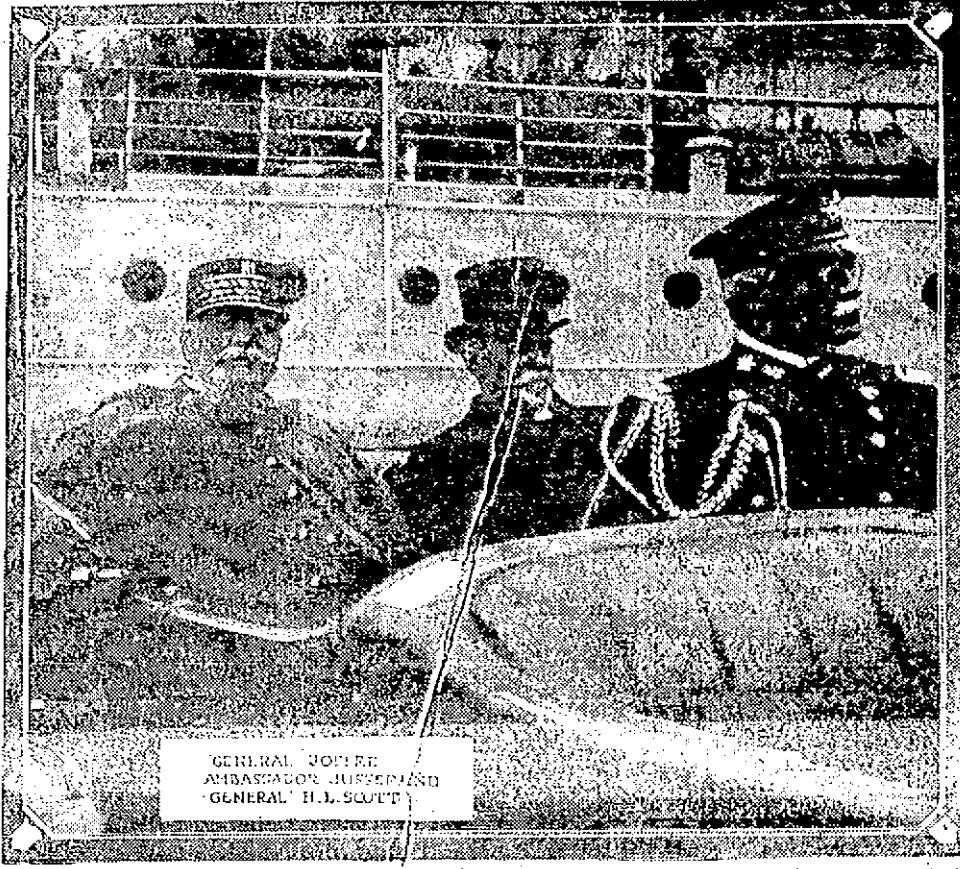
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Joffre, Savior of France, Arriving in Washington.



Just as Marshal Joffre, savior of the American army, left Washington, the photographer shaped him. At his left is Ambassador J. A. Jusserand and forward is General Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff

the South End docks on a hot day.

That every boy has proud moments in his life but they don't happen when he is selected to escort his big sister to goo-goo party.

EXPLOSION IN MUNITION PLANT

(By Associated Press)

London, April 27.—A small explosion in a north of England munition plant this morning killed one person and injured four others.

OLYMPIA THEATRE NOTES.

Charles Ray is soon to star in a play of New Hampshire's Granite hills.

Detty Schade, who had the leading role in "The Reward of the Faithless" was recently married to Ernest Shields, of "Broken Coin" fame. The bride's many friends at Universal City presented her with a beautiful loving cup with the following inscription on it, "To Betty, Universal's first war bride, from those who love her."

Jewel Carmen is with the Fox Company playing opposite William Purman.

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**NOMINATED FOR
TRIAL JUSTICE
BY GOVERNOR**

W. C. Hildreth, former postmaster at York Beach has been nominated by Governor Milliken for trial justice at York. Other nominations were the following:

W. W. H. Lynch of Portland, as a member of the state board of veterinary examiners; Henry W. Rich of Portland as a member of the state board to regulate the practice of embalming; Harry J. Cram of Portland, as one of the commissioners of uniformity of legislation in the U. S.; J. W. Gordon of Wells as a justice of the peace.

**PREMIER IS
INVETERATE
CHESS PLAYER**

(By Associated Press)
Peking, April 27.—Premier Tuan Chai-jui is an inveterate chess player and one of the most expert students of the game in the Far East. He plays at least one game of chess every day, and is the champion among all the high Chinese officials.

Japan's champion chess player, Kuo-ien-tao-ping who recently defeated the most expert players in South China, has come to Peking to meet North China players at the request of the Premier. The Japanese expert will be matched with him before he leaves China.

**WHOLE MILITARY
RECORD ON
HIS SLEEVE**

(By Associated Press)
Paris, April 27.—The French soldier carries his whole military record on his sleeve. An inverted V high on the right sleeve means "wounded," and a new one is added for each addition. A V right side up on the same sleeve means "sent home on sick leave." The V on the left sleeve indicates the length of service; one for the first year, and one for each succeeding six months.

A new distinction, which is highly prized, has recently been created, a narrow horizontal band, meaning "six months at Verdun."

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**VETERAN B. & M.
ENGINEER
CELEBRATES**

"Jack" Savage and Wife Observe Silver Wedding at Portland.

"Jack" Savage, the oldest engineer in the passenger service of the Boston and Maine railroad, well known in this city, and his wife, celebrated the 25th anniversary of their marriage at their home, No. 145 Cumberland avenue, Portland, Me., on Thursday.

Engineer Savage, holds a gold medal presented by the Humane Society of Massachusetts for prompt action on August 8, 1883, which saved the lives of many passengers when a disabled train on the Rockport branch nearly crashed into his train at Beverly. Mr. Savage backed his train to "safety" while a switchman, threw the switch just in time to let the wild train run by. William Endicott, Jr., was a passenger that day and sent Mr. Savage a complimentary letter and a check for \$500, the purse raised by the grateful passengers. He was engineer of the Flying Yankee for 19 consecutive years.

Mr. Savage was born in Manchester, N. H., August 8, 1858. He began railroading in White River Junction as switchman. He began flying as switchman 41 years ago. He became an engineer a few years later.

Mr. Savage is a member of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and of the Knights of Columbus. He served three years in the city council and was president at one time. He married Mary Manney in Bangor, Very Rev. M. C. O'Brien performing the ceremony in St. Mary's church.

Rev. T. C. Manney of Dexter, her brother, celebrated an anniversary mass in the Cathedral at 8:30 Thursday morning in honor of the anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. Savage kept open house during the day and evening and received the congratulations of their hosts of friends.

**DEFENSE WILL
BE "BETRAYAL
OF FRIENDSHIP"**

(By Associated Press)
Christiansburg, Va., April 27—Clas. E. Vawter, professor of mathematics at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, will be tried here at the May term of the Montgomery county circuit court charged with the murder of Stockton Heth, Jr., who was prominent in society and spoils. It was indicated through counsel that his defense will be based on "betrayal of friendship."

Early in the morning of March 12, clad only in pajamas, Heth was found mortally wounded in the upper hallway of the Blackstock home at Blacksburg where he was an overnight guest. Three bullets from a revolver had entered his body, the range of the shots being upward, indicating that they had been fired from the stairway. Professor Vawter was arrested on a warrant charging him with the shooting but he was released under \$1,000 bonds after waiving a preliminary hearing.

Just before he died early in the morning of March 13, in the presence of Lieut. Clement Heth, of the U. S. army, and Commonwealth's attorney R. L. Roop, Heth said: "Charlie Vawter shot me. He hasn't got a thing to stand on."

Counsel for Vawter issued a statement two days later after deviating

that the "evidence will disclose a betrayal of friendship and confidence restored. It said, "the day has not come when the honor of a Virginian home is no longer sacred and we feel that our effort will have nothing to fear at the hands of a jury of his countrymen."

Vawter's bond was increased to \$10,000 after Heth's death and he has continued to live at home since the tragedy. Apparently Heth has been no break in the home life and Prof. Vawter and his wife have continued to receive their friends.

Mrs. Vawter is regarded in this section as one of the most beautiful women in the state. Before her marriage she was Miss Rachel Henderson of Salem. The Vawters have two small children, a girl and a boy, both of whom were at home on the night of the shooting. Bernard Williams, a student, was the only other occupant of the house where he had a room.

Both the Vawter and Heth families are socially prominent and an imposing array of counsel has been retained by the opposing sides. Judge W. W. Moffett will preside. "Jack" Lee of Lynchburg one of the most famous criminal lawyers in the state, will break a precedent of twenty years to assist Commonwealth's Attorney Roop in the prosecution. Heretofore he has steadfastly refused to take part for the state in murder trial. J. Hoge Tyler Jr., of Radford, also has been retained for the state. Vawter will be defended by Corless and Colhoun of Christiansburg and R. L. Jordan of Radford.

**People +
you know**

Joseph Sacco is in Boston on business.

Dr. E. B. Eastman passed the day in Boston.

Hon. William E. Marvin is in Boston today.

Hon. William E. Marvin is on a business trip to Keene.

State Senator N. O. Weeks of Wakefield was a visitor here today.

Angus O'Brien has taken a position in the office of the Standard Oil Co. Mrs. George Robbins of Somerville, Mass., is visiting her daughter, Mrs. James N. Pringle.

The young child of Mr. and Mrs. John L. Mitchell is at the Portsmouth Hospital, seriously ill.

Admiral Daniels H. Delano, U. S. N., and wife, will pass the summer as usual in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl L. Follansbee of Ashland, N. H., are passing the weekend in this city with friends.

Alvah Caswell has accepted a position as car service clerk at the local Boston and Maine freight office.

Miss Marie Sherburne and Miss Ethel Mills of North Berwick were the recent guests of friends in this city.

Mrs. Ira Newell and daughter are in New York for two weeks as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Knox.

Senator Nathan O. Weeks of Wakefield was a Portsmouth visitor today, calling upon his legislative friends here.

County Commissioner George A. Carlisle of Exeter was here on Friday to attend the meeting of the commissioners.

Mrs. True W. Ball and Mrs. T. C. Chipps who have passed the winter in Boston have opened their residence on Court street.

Carl Follansbee and wife of Ashland are visiting their former home here. Mr. Follansbee is now proprietor of the Ashland hotel.

Mrs. Ella Jellison who has been at the hospital suffering with pneumonia, has returned to the residence of E. F. Grant, where she was visiting.

H. Fisher Eldridge was here on Thursday and returned to Boston to undergo treatment with a Boston specialist. His hosts of friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Mrs. Henry W. Keyes, wife of the governor, gave an at home to the ladies of the members of the governor's staff this Friday afternoon. Mrs. F. W. Harford of this city was present.

City Treasurer Charles C. Smith, who has been confined to the hospital for the past two weeks with pneumonia, has been removed to his home on Richards avenue. He will be back to his duties very soon.

OBSEQUIES

Andrew P. Fernald.

The funeral of Andrew P. Fernald was held from the home of his son, William P. Fernald, at Eliot Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. W. B. Eldridge of the East Eliot Methodist church officiating.

Interment was in Bolt Hill cemetery under the direction of A. T. Parker.

**FINDING THE KIDS TO
BE EASY MONEY**

An old-time sailor lad and a naval reserve met in front of a Congress street store this morning. "Hello, my boy," said the sailor, and upon the greeting being returned the old salt negotiated a loan of \$5.00, and then he slapped the youngster on the shoulder and remarked, "You are a fine lad and will make a good officer some day."

FOUND—April 15, a large Collie dog, sable and white. Came to my house and still there. Owner can have same by proving ownership. Joshua Bartlett, 50 Willard avenue, ch A 27, 3t.

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EXETER

Exeter, April 27— "The Old Peabody View," was presented last evening by the members of the First Parish Circle, in the First Congregational church vestry. The cast included Mrs. George W. Huntington, Mrs. George H. Watson, Mrs. Edmund H. Boyer, Miss Frances E. Moulton, Miss Alta M. Horne, Mrs. George H. Seelbeck, Mrs. Robert Mason, Mrs. Helen M. Crosbie and Norman S. McKendrick. Mrs. Norman S. McKendrick acted as reader.

A flag raising was held at Abbott hall, the oldest of the dormitories of the Phillips Exeter academy Wednesday evening, when a 15x10 American flag was unfurled to the breeze and cheered by the students.

Court Wheelchair, Fosters of America, celebrated its 20th anniversary last evening in the quarters in Smith hall, when a class of 26 candidates was initiated. Several of the grand officers were among those present, including Grand Chief Ranger C. C. Madelson of Manchester, Grand Secretary William Callahan of Keene, Grand Sub Chief Ranger John J. Cullity of Manchester and Grand Recording Secretary E. P. Nolan of Claremont. Past Supreme High Chief Ranger Mark Stone of Boston, who organized the first court of Forestry of New Hampshire, it being in Manchester, was also present. A banquet followed the work.

Henry C. Morrison of Concord, superintendent of public instruction, yesterday began the inspection of the schools in the district of Superintendent Mario S. Brooks, including those of Newfields, Hampton Falls and Kensington, besides Exeter.

Captain A. E. Ross of Co. 3, C. A. C. has received orders to pack his range finding outfit and ship it south, the work of packing now being in order.

Helen Rand and Leon Day of the Keene Normal school are spending a vacation at their homes here.

The Pilgrim Male Quartet of Boston was heard by a large audience at the town hall on Wednesday evening, the concert being under the auspices of the Sagamore lodge, J. G. O. P. About \$80 was netted.

The last of the series of concerts given by Dr. J. E. Kerst will be held this evening at the town hall when the artists will be Theodore Cella, harpist, of the Boston Symphony Orchestra, and Anthony Guarino, tenor, with Dr. Keefe, piano accompanist.

Prof. James A. Tufts, dean of the Phillips Exeter academy faculty and head of the English department was congratulated on his birthday yesterday. He is the oldest member of the faculty, becoming a member in 1878 and was graduated from the academy with the class of 1874. He is a native of Afton and is well known throughout the state.

Exeter's relay team composed of Dennis O'Conor of Dorchester, H. T. Torkelson, F. H. Speer and J. B. Saxby, left last evening for Philadelphia where it will compete in the Penn relay carnival Saturday with the leading preparatory schools of the country for the national preparatory school one-mile relay championships.

Torkelson, the fastest of the team, has done 51 seconds for the quarter mile and his teammates are fast at the distance. Trainer Conners expects the team to break record of 3m. 35 1/8 made by the Exeter team of '11.

ANNOUNCEMENT BY THE PORTSMOUTH COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC SAFETY.

Farms for Staple Crops.

The Committee is about to plough, fertilize and prepare for planting the Alphouse Field. They offer lots to societies, clubs, Boy Scout Troops, or individual men and women who volunteer as a public duty to plant, cultivate and harvest crops of substantial staple vegetables under the direction and instruction of a manager. If the lots are at all neglected by the tenants they will be forfeited and taken over by the Committee. In the distribution of lots consideration will be given to evidence of experience. The Committee offers all the aid it can give to citizens who are willing to cultivate small plots on their own properties, and they urge each citizen to cultivate the back yard.

Registration fee of 50¢ will be required for a lot of land approximating five thousand square feet ploughed and fertilized. Larger lots will be awarded by special arrangement.

Registration blanks and other information may be obtained at the rooms of the Associated Charities, Court House, State street.

FRANK E. LEAVITT,
MARTHA S. KIMBALL,
FREDERICK M. SISE.

CONCORD BANKS RESPOND

The First National and Mechanics National banks of Concord generously responded to the call of the Secretary of the Treasury of the United States to finance the \$200,000,000 loan to Great Britain, on Wednesday, making

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(By Associated Press)

Rome, April 27—Owing to the increase in the price of silver, the Italian government has authorized the issue of one and two lire notes to the sum of \$50,000,000. The hoarding of silver currency is prohibited.

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FRENCH OFFICERS CONFER WITH AMERICAN OFFICIALS

Vice Premier Viviani May Address U. S. Senate on Saturday—Joffre Urges Sending Expeditionary Force to France

(By Associated Press)
Washington, April 26.—Conferences between French and American officials in which views regarding the carrying on of the war against Germany were exchanged took place today after the leaders of the French party had paid formal calls on President Wilson, Vice President Marshall, and Secretaries Lansing, Baker and Daniels. Foremost among the conferences was that between Field Marshal Joffre and his staff with Secretary Baker of the War Department, General Scott, and several other officers of the American army. This conference took place at the home of Henry White, former ambassador to France, where the distinguished visitors are being entertained as the guests of the nation.

France's desire for the sending of an American expeditionary force to co-operate with the armies of France against Germany is already known and at the conference Marshal Joffre gave the American officials his views and reasons for the advisability of such expedition. Information of the conference between the leaders was withheld from publication.

After the conference Vice-Premier Viviani, head of the commission, made a statement to American press representatives in which he said he believed that the United States would cooperate with the Entente allies by sending troops to France. He said that such cooperation in the war means victory to France, which is already assured, a

victory morality and right, "the securing of world peace where all children will have the right to grow up, to breath free, and to follow their right to peace and happiness."

M. Viviani later called upon Vice President Marshall who tendered him an invitation to visit the Senate. It was later indicated that the invitation had been accepted by the French minister and that he would visit the Senate either Saturday or Monday when he would probably address the House. A number of the party have expressed the desire to visit the larger cities of the United States before they return to France, to visit the places of historic interest and other interesting points. It is probable that they will visit Philadelphia, New York, Chicago, Valley Forge, and Boston before their return.

Tonight the chief officials of the party were the guests at a dinner at the White House and later in the evening all of the members of the party were guests at a reception held by President Wilson at the White House

OBSEQUIES

Albert S. Hurst

The funeral of Albert S. Hurst was held from the home on Pleasant street, Elliot, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. Irving W. Barnes offici-

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HOW THE BLUEJACKET LEARNS THE USES OF PUBLICITY

clating. A delegation from Stover Post, No. 1, G. A. R., was present and held services. The speakers were Joseph A. Pepe, Roy C. Philbrick, Mito E. Spinney and Charles L. Cole. Interment was in Mt. Pleasant cemetery. Arrangements were in charge of J. Verno Wood.

Mrs. Olive Fox

The funeral of Mrs. Olive Fox was held from the home of Ernest Fredericksen, 1974 Woodbury avenue, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, Rev. Wm. P. Stanley officiating. The bearers were Ernest Fredericksen, Ralph Freeman, Charles Bridges and William Coolidge. Interment was in Proprietor's cemetery under direction of J. Verno Wood.

VOLUNTEER PLAN ASSURED LOST BY CONGRESS

ARMY BILL WILL BE PASSED BY BOTH HOUSES BEFORE END OF WEEK IN OPINION OF PARTY LEADERS

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 26.—The war army bill, now being discussed in both houses of Congress to the exclusion of all other legislation, will be passed before the end of the week, it is indicated tonight. Unless leaders in Congress are far astute in their views the bill will be passed virtually as it came to Congress from the war department. The Senate definitely committed itself today to take a vote on the bill before adjournment on Saturday. The House, in session far into the night, will endeavor to vote tomorrow.

In the Senate leaders claim that the volunteer plan amendment will be killed by a majority of at least fifteen and House leaders claim that this amendment will be lost, by between thirty-five and fifty.

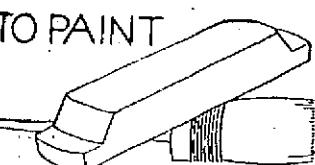
With this amendment out of the way and no others of importance attracting any interest, the bill is expected to be passed in both houses by overwhelming majorities.

NOVEL FISH RECIPES

Baked Mackerel

Spit, clean, remove head and tail from medium sized mackerel. Put in pan, sprinkle with salt and pepper and dot with one tablespoon butter; pour over one-half cup milk and bake in hot oven twenty-five minutes, basting. Remove to hot platter, garnish with creamed boiled onions and parsley. Serve very hot. Very small white onions should be used to cream.

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No matter how small the town, even so diminutive from a standpoint of population that it has been left off the printed maps and no matter what its daily or weekly newspaper is, whether it is printed on a four deck cylinder or a creaky and antiquated Washington hand press, it still is the proud possessor of a traveling correspondent who is in all parts of the world. He keeps in touch with his home town newspaper, not through thrilling stories or events that are making history, but more specifically with the little items of interest that are just what the folks at home want to read when the carrier leaves the daily paper at the door or Uncle Sam's post man leaves the weekly at the R. F. D. box by the roadside.

The sailor of today is always in touch with his home town paper. He may be blissfully unconscious of the fact that he is a travelling correspondent but he is just the same; for the Navy Department, through its Publicity Bureau, has made "Jack" a gatherer and a chronicler of news that goes back to the boys in the old town like a letter to an old pal.

Every ship of the navy carries blanks that are already to be filled up with the little items of interest that are set much of an event in the life of a navy man and to those in the town back behind the hills. He may have excelled in some particular study or work of the ship and been commended; he may have made a fine showing at target practice and he may, as a firing pointer, have won the coveted Navy "E" which means a whole lot to

The Publicity Bureau has another idea in mind while getting the news from these first line of defense men into print. The more that is printed of the boys and of what they are doing, and of their triumphs in peace or their loyalty and service in war, the more Young America is attracted to the life of a sailor and the more quickly he is made to realize his duty in responding to his Country's call.

The Publicity Bureau of the Navy not only disseminates news of the service but it operates one of the largest and best equipped printing offices in New York where all of its posters and literature are printed.

UNITED STATES TO CONTROL THE WORLD FOOD SUPPLY

Washington, April 26.—That some ate the production and distribution of one American—possibly Herbert Hoover or Secretary of Labor Wilson—within the next few months will become food dictator of the world, was indicated by developments at the international war conference of the allies here today.

More and more the war councils proceedings are crystallizing into a monumental campaign to feed the allies, finance and shipping problems are coming to be considered comparatively collateral, though of course vital.

Man-power development for foreign service is even less pressing.

It was taken for granted today that it will be the policy of the allies, after America has made her preliminary contributions to her fighting sister nations in men, money, food, shipping and other things, to entrust the United States with absolute control of certain phases of the war.

That food will be one of the problems left entirely in American hands is believed certain.

Chosen by Wilson

This will mean that one man, or a small group of men, will be named by President Wilson absolutely to diminish

POLITICAL POT PROMISES SOME TURBULENT BOILING

Patrick H. Sullivan, Democratic candidate for congressman, turned no longer to Manchester than to learn of the outcome of the Republican congressional convention, when he fled himself off to Washington to confer with the leaders of his party with reference to arrangements for the forthcoming campaign upon which the first disaster is entering. He had made the promise of aid from the national committee of his party, and his visit to Washington is to secure definite information as to just what may be expected from his party outside of New Hampshire. Mr. Sullivan was accompanied on his trip to Washington by Chairman Farland of the Democratic state committee.

The Democratic state committee is to take charge of the campaign, having already opened headquarters on Elm street, just north of the Pleckinger building, with George E. Farland, chairman of the state committee, in charge, and will be assisted by local organizations throughout the cities and towns in the district and by a representative of the Democratic national committee.

Democrats are talking that U. S. Senator J. Hamilton Lewis of Illinois and Judge Thomas Riley of Medford, Mass., will be among the speakers who will be heard. There is also gossip that a series of joint meetings between the rival candidates may be arranged.

CONSIDERING ANOTHER OFFER OF \$200,000,000

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 26.—Secretary McAdoo is considering another offering of \$200,000,000 in treasury certificates due June 30, to the banks of the country within the next ten days. The plan has not been definitely approved, but indications are that it will be adopted.

Announcement as to the details of the first issue of bonds authorized under the \$7,000,000,000 war finance law probably will be made not later than May 1.

The second offering of treasury certificates, if made soon, probably will follow the same course as that adopted in the first offer of \$250,000,000 from which \$200,000,000 was loaned yesterday to Great Britain. The issue would

be placed through the federal reserve banks acting as fiscal agents for the government and would be offered primarily to the banks of the country, state banks and private institutions as well as members of the federal reserve system.

CHANCELLOR IS EXPECTED TO STATE TERMS

GERMAN CORRESPONDENT OF DUTCH NEWSPAPER MADE STATEMENT ON THURSDAY

(By Associated Press)

Amsterdam, via London, April 26.—The Tijds German correspondent says that Dr. Bethmann-Hollweg, Imperial German Chancellor, will in his next speech to the Reichstag give definite information on the German peace terms.

Copenhagen, April 26.—The failure of Dr. Bethmann-Hollweg, Imperial German Chancellor, to definitely state the aims of Germany in continuing the war is creating the greatest amount of feeling against him among the laboring classes. At least one division of people in Germany are favorable to him and are supporting him in his policies of deferring the making of any definite announcement. This is the Catholic Center in the Reichstag and the support comes after his statement not to force any reforms until after the war is concluded.

On the other hand the chancellor's decision against making any positive statement for peace has evoked the greatest discontent in the Reichstag from the other sides of the House. The Socialist representatives and the Pan-American representatives assert that his refusal to take a stand indicate the absence of authoritative decision and weakness.

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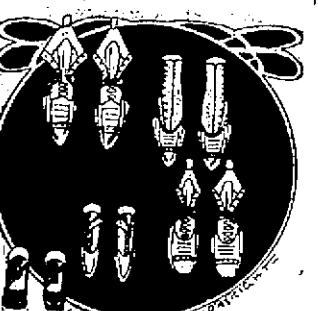


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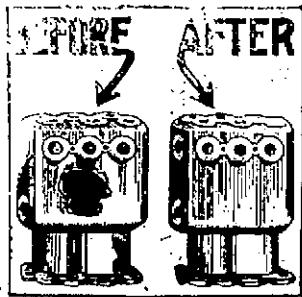
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PRICE OF BREAD TO TAKE JUMP IN NEW YORK CITY

TEN-CENT LOAF TO REPLACE SIX
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New York, April 26.—The six-cent loaf of bread, now the cheapest on the market, will disappear from New York counters Monday, it was announced here today by the largest producing wholesale bakers.

The 10-cent loaf will be the cheapest and its size will be cut materially. Big advances in loaves of other sizes were announced.

The notices, sent without warning to small dealers all over the city, caused consternation and in many cases, the price of bread was jumped arbitrarily at once.

Monday, the 10-cent loaf, which now weighs less than a pound, will be cut two ounces. A new loaf, weighing 1 1/2 pounds and selling at 15 cents, will be placed on the retail market.

Restaurants hereafter will pay 13 cents for the loaves they have been getting for 15 cents; 24 cents for the former 18-cent loaf, and 32 cents for the loaf they are now buying for 24 cents.

The advance takes effect in all kinds of bread. It was predicted that bread and butter, now supplied in restaurants and hotels without charge, will be added to the priced articles on the menu.

Prices may go even higher, commission merchants declared. They said many bakers purchased large supplies of flour early in the year when the price of wheat began to advance. When the \$2 mark was reached in wheat these men sold their flour stocks to get the profit. They now are forced to buy at higher prices than when they sold.

Big bakers all agreed that the price advance was directly due to the high cost of wheat. None would admit that the increase had been ordered by any central body, but insisted the initiative was taken by individual bakers.

In a few bakeries, it was learned, the loaf costing less than 10 cents will not disappear entirely. One big bakery announced the price of its present 7-cent loaf would be increased to 8 cents and the price of its 10-cent loaf to 12.

Philip Ward, of the Ward Baking Company, one of the largest bread dealers in the city, said:

"The principal cause of this increase is the extremely high cost of wheat. Cash grain at Minneapolis is not only scarce, but very high. The bakers must make some kind of retrenchment. This has been coming on for weeks and months."

High Food Prices are Unwarranted, Say Probers

Washington, April 26.—Results of the first congressionally authorized and paid for price probe, as a result of recent soaring prices throughout the nation, were reported today.

The probe was conducted here. Some sensational disclosures were laid before Congress in the report, which says that similar conditions undoubtedly hold in other cities of the country. The conclusion reached is that there is no just ground for such high prices of many products as are demanded of the consumer at this time.

The report says there is "urgent need in this country for organization of comprehensively marketing machine-

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Speaker, Rev. Herbert A. Jump
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 Illustrated by Many Stereopticon Slides.

**FLAG RAISING
BY FIREMEN
AT YORK, ME.**

The fire department of York and the citizens of the town will participate in a flag raising on Saturday night when Old Glory will be hoisted on the staff of the fire house. Several speakers will be heard and a lunch served following the exercises.

GIVES ABLE ADDRESS

Nursing Association Hears Dr. Heffenger on Thursday Afternoon.

The members of the Graduate Nurses Association assembled at the Nurses' Home of the Portsmouth Hospital on Thursday afternoon where Dr. A. C. Heffenger gave a very interesting and able address on nursing ethics. He spoke for nearly an hour on the subject and was given close attention from the members of the profession. Following his address refreshments were served by the pupil nurses of the training school.

ALL MEN ON ATLANTIC SHORE TO CONTINUE

Receiver W. G. Meloon Looks Over the Property.

Receiver W. G. Meloon of the electric lines across the river made a brief

inspection this morning and then left for North Conway. He will retain all of the present force and will have his offices in this city. The news in The Herald that he would take over the road on Tuesday next was a topic of conversation.

GAME FOR SATURDAY

There will be a baseball game tomorrow at the South Playgrounds at 3 o'clock. Portsmouth vs. North Carolina.

The Portsmouth team will be composed of Savage, Bowdoin, college, Bradley, Headland, Huntington, Pilgrim Bruce, and other crack Naval Reserves now stationed at the navy yard.

**GRADUATE NURSES ASSO.
ADOPT REGULATION PRICES**

The Portsmouth Graduate Nurses Association has adopted the following regulation prices for work: \$25 per week; No extra charge for laundry or carriage hire: \$1.00 per day for less than a week; \$35 per week for contagious cases.

CANDY SALE

At Bass' candy department Saturday will be Jersey Cream Caramels, regular price 40c, a lb. price for Saturday, will be 35c lb. Also our 40c chocolates for 35c lb. every Saturday in the year. Bass' Drug Store. (O. J. Allinson, successor.)

Telephone 29W for your ice cream. Paris Bros' service will do the rest. Delivered Sunday.

**ARRANGING FOR
THE CONVENTION
IN THIS CITY**

CIVIL SERVICE MEN OF GOVERNMENT WILL MEET AND BANQUET AT ROCKINGHAM.

The Portsmouth members of the National Association of Classified Civil Service Employees of Navy Yards and Stations are busy with the preparations for the entertainment of delegates of the National Body who convene in this city on Saturday, May 12. The convention and banquets will be held at the Rockingham Hotel. At this time the annual election of officers will take place and every station of the government on the east and west coast is expected to be represented. The local delegates are E. J. Charney, R. J. Boyd and Amos Randlett.

The Portsmouth branch have planned for auto trips in the surrounding country which may include a ride through the White Mountains.

**DOVER GIRLS'
CLUB GUESTS
OF LOCAL CLUB**

The local Girls' Club entertained about 22 members of the Dover Girls' Club on Thursday evening. The party came down from Dover in an open truck and were served a supper consisting of Welsh rabbit, olives, sandwiches, cake and coffee in the Club House on Middle street.

Jessie Altarn, Myra Barnabee, Elsie Coughlin and Ethel Fernand served from chafing dishes, while long tables were attractively set in the sun parlor.

About 62 girls in all sat down for supper.

A musical program followed. Several vocal selections were given by Miss Katherine O'Leary and Mrs. Margaret Corey. Readings by Lucia Kenney, and music for dancing was furnished by Miss Teresa Brooks.

The entertainment committee was in charge—Mrs. Margaret Corey, chairman; Maud Trefethen, Grace Cady, May Conighlin, Ethel Ryan, and Alice Slosberg.

**MEN OF GRANGE
SERVE SUPPER**

The regular meeting of Strawberry Bank Grange, No. 252, P. of H., was held on Thursday evening at which time the third and fourth degrees were exemplified. Deputy Herbert Philbrick of Newmarket made the inspection. A supper was served at 10 o'clock under the direction and management of Mr. A. O. Benfield and the following assistants, Messrs. Fred Oldfield, Martin Tilley, Edward Patterson, James Peterman and Harry K. Torrey.

The local grange accepted an invitation from the Rye organization to be their guests on April 11.

**BENEFIT FOR
ST. LUKE'S HOME**

Our citizens should not forget the entertainment, cake and candy sale which is to be given at the Women's Building on Middle street on Saturday afternoon, April 28 from 3 to 6 o'clock, for the benefit of St. Luke's Home. Few of our citizens realize the good work that is being done by this worthy institution which is caring for 28 invalid and poor children at the present time. The Home is dependent on voluntary contributions and our charitable inclined people should add as far as their means will admit.

**MORE RECRUITS
FROM COLUMBUS**

One hundred and twenty-one more recruits for the U. S. Army arrived in this city from the army barracks at Columbus, Ohio, on Thursday afternoon. The detachment came by special train via Ayer Junction and the Concord and Portsmouth branch of the Boston and Maine. They will start training at the army camp at Fort Constitution.

MILLER MUSICAL COMEDY COMPANY AT COLONIAL THEATRE

Once again will the joyous songs of the musical comedy star ring forth upon the stage of the Colonial; for all next week the management will present one of the finest musical organizations on tour. The Miller Musical Comedy Company is in every sense a musical stock organization, having appeared as a permanent attraction in the city of Lowell, Mass., where it received the undivided endorsement of the public and press.

Miss Grace Lewis, a very talented

prima donna will head the cast of twenty, which includes Joe Taylor, Hugie Pharey, Eddie Welch, the Mason Sisters, Ollie Perkins, the McLain Sisters and others.

The opening will be that clever farce, with music, "Dinkie and O'Dreen in Paris."

There will be a matinee daily and the prices will be 10 and 20 cents, while at night a few rows will be reserved at 30 cents.

**SEAMEN WILL
REACH HERE
THIS EVENING**

The eight hundred apprentice seamen from the Great Lakes station for the navy will reach this city about 1 o'clock tonight in two special trains over the Boston and Maine. Both trains will be run direct to the government reservation.

LOCAL DASHES

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Branch Tel. 133.

Milk depends upon our local police force these days.

Bolled and live lobsters at Clark's Branch. Tel. 133.

What would you say if Portsmouth was put under martial law?

Our regular 40c chocolates for Saturday only, 35c lb. Paris Bros.

The board of county commissioners held their regular weekly session in this city on Friday.

All kinds of fresh selected fruit and a great variety of confections at Paris Bros.

Friday was pay day for the men employed on the Boston and Maine railroad in this city.

Haze Nichols' ice cream with your dinner on Sunday. Phone 112W and we will deliver it.

There are at present twelve prisoners confined in the Rockingham county jail in this city.

Wards bread and cake at the Park Store. Open evenings.

A trial will convince you of the merits of the famous Nichols' ice cream. Sunday delivery. Tel. 142W.

Antique furniture restored and upholstered. Hair mattresses renovated. Margeson Bros. Tel. 670.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds, caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. J. Emerson and Sons. Tel. 245.

Special bargains for Saturday at The Remnant Store, 250 State street, opp. postoffice.

There will be a special service for enlisted men at the Y. M. C. A. on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Rev. William P. Stanley will be the speaker with Miss Evelyn Badger as soloist.

**COMMITTEE
IS HERE**

The Naval committee of the committee on Public Safety met here this afternoon. Rear Admiral Joseph B. Murdock, chairman, presiding. The committee is composed of William D. Chandler, Concord; Winston Churchill, Cornish; George P. Crofts, Lewis W. Crockett, Thomas R. Marwick, Frank Knox, R. L. Manning, Manchester; George D. Mayo, Litchfield; Irving G. Rowell, Sunapee. After the business meeting at the Rockingham, the committee called on Commandant W. L. Howard at the navy yard and made a tour of the city and the water front.

**ANOTHER BOY IS
INJURED WHILE
CLIMBING ON WAGON**

Leg Caught in Wheel and Receives Bad Fracture.

E. Roy Ward, aged 6 years, an inmate of the Children's Home, is at the Portsmouth Hospital suffering from a fracture of the left leg. The lad on his way home from school attempted to climb on the rear of a wagon from North Hampton when his leg was caught in the spokes of the wheel. The action of the same threw him heavily to the ground and dragged him some short distance.

The driver knew nothing of the accident until attracted by the cries of the injured boy.

**SPECIAL AT CATER'S MARKET
37 Daniel St., Tel. 120.**

Roasts of beef, 22c lb. up; fence spinach, 30c lb.; fresh cut onions, 10c; 10c each; fancy lettuce, 10c; pure maple syrup, only \$1.50 gallon; large bunches asparagus, 35c; sweet maple oranges, 25c doz.; 3, large Florida grapefruit for 25c; fancy lemons, 25c dozen; whole new rice, only 8c lb.; 2 cans' good corn, 25c; another lot of "House of Lords" chocolates, the 80c kind, our price, only 40c. Full pound boxes.—At Cater's Market.

AT DEDES

California Sunkist oranges, 10c and 15c doz.; 30c fresh chocolates, 18c lb.; 30c fresh chocolates, 25c lb.; Strawberries, 35c box.

**WOMAN FALLS
FROM DOORSTEPS
AT HER HOME**

Mrs. Mary Blake, wife of John W. Blake living at 36 Turner street, was quite badly bruised and shaken up on Thursday afternoon. The accident was caused by the sudden giving away of the railing on the steps of the front entrance of her home which resulted in her falling several feet on to the sidewalk below. Dr. Taylor on examination found no bones broken but the woman was suffering considerably from the shock.

**PLEASANTLY
ENTERTAINED**

On Wednesday evening twenty members of Constitution Circle, Companions of the Forest, went to Dover to participate in the first anniversary of Pride of Court Stratford, which was held in Winnamox Hall. The visitors from this city were entertained in a royal manner and have nothing but the highest praise for the hospitality of the Dover Circle. The trip to and from Dover was made in Hislop's barge and those who participated will have pleasant memories of the same for a long time to come.

**LOCAL RESERVES FOR
COAST GUARD**

Rye Beach Station Has Some of the Boys.

The need of extra men in the Coast Guard this week resulted in some of the men of the Naval Reserve being transferred. Captain Cummings of the Rye Beach station had two men from the yard to fill his crews. The boys are taking a deep interest in all the work assigned them.

NOTICE
The Progressive Committee of the Loyal Order of Moose will give a dance on Friday and Saturday evenings, April 27 and 28, at Moose Hall, High street. Ladies, 15c; gents, 25c.

OUR CANDY SPECIAL

Chocolate Delights, 30c lb. A chocolate coated marshmallow fudge combination. Adams' Drug Store, of Market street.

Chevrolet automobiles. C. J. Woods Bow St.

**FARM
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Rye, N. H.**

Eight acres, tillage and pasture, some wood; eight-room house, barn, hen house; five minutes to trolley cars; near Rye Center.

Price, \$2200.

**BUTLER & MARSHALL
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**FOR SALE
BURKITT STREET**

Two tenement house and barn; lot 76 by 130, with fruit. Also many other desirable places at unheard of prices.

Pick out a home now and start on the easy monthly payment plan.

**FRED GARDNER
Glebe Building.**

Miss S. J. Zoller of Boston ELECTRIC NEEDLE SPECIALIST Removes Superfluous Hair Will be at Hair Dressing Parlor of Mrs. Ida A. Nelson, 4 Glebe Building, April 28 Phone Appointments There.

Wheeler's Sherbet, Refreshing and Delicious. Daylight Factory 102 Bennett St., Portsmouth. Tel. 181W.



Here in our overcoat department are coats that will put briskness into your step. Their smartness in both models and fabrics will, figuratively, "lone you up" to their level in vim and vigor. Models include pinch-backs, bell backs, full backs and semi-form fitting effects, all equally smart in their respective characters. Fabrics are in English tweed effects, flannels both knitted and woven and undressed worsteds. Prices, \$15, \$17.50, \$18.50, \$20, \$25.

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